

BEDFORD RECREATION
KIDS' CLUB
News from the Director
September 2015



September 2015 Calendar

- 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all schools. Snack is served at 3:00 PM on $\frac{3}{4}$ days.
- 16 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all schools. Snack is served at 3:00 PM on $\frac{3}{4}$ days.
- 23 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all schools. Snack is served at 3:00 PM on $\frac{3}{4}$ days.
- 25 All schedule changes for October are due today.

October 2015 Calendar

- 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all public schools, Payment for October care is due today.
- 7 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all public schools
- 12 KIDS' CLUB IS CLOSED for Columbus Day.
- 14 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all public schools
- 21 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all public schools
- 28 $\frac{3}{4}$ day all public schools
- 30 HALLOWEEN CELEBRATION AT KIDS' CLUB!!! All children attending today are encouraged to wear their Halloween costume today. (NO SCAREY COSTUMES, OR WEAPON

ACCESSORIES, PLEASE.) All children will have the opportunity to create a mask if they choose. HALLOWEEN FACE PAINTING, GAMES, CRAFTS, AND COOKIE DECORATING ARE JUST SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES THAT WE WILL BE BREWING! KIDS' CLUB WILL BE CLOSING AT 6 PM.

KIDS CLUB CHANGE IN FEES - Please check our new fees list in the 2015-2016 Parent Handbook as they have changed.



KIDS' CLUB IS IN GREAT DEMAND! - Once again this year, KIDS' CLUB has seen a marked increase in the number of Bedford families needing school age child care. And, once again, KIDS' CLUB has expanded its space to accommodate these many families. **Currently, KIDS' CLUB is full to capacity for the school year.** When days of care are "dropped" from a child's schedule,



KIDS' CLUB is obligated to offer the spot to a wait-listed family. We are reminding all to be aware of this when planning child care. Thank you!

INCREASE IN THE "NO CALL" POLICY - Parents are required to call KIDS' CLUB by 2:45 PM if their child will not be arriving at KIDS' CLUB as indicated on their Scheduled Care Form. due to illness or change in plans. A "No Call" fee of **\$20.00** will be assessed for each occurrence that parents fail to inform KIDS' CLUB of absence due to illness or change in plans.



TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM KIDS CLUB - The Bedford Public



Schools provide bus service to KIDS' CLUB for all children coming directly from the Lane and Davis Schools each afternoon. Parents are asked to contact their child(ren)'s SCHOOL OFFICE AND TEACHER and arrange to have their child directed to the KIDS' CLUB bus. Buses will run beginning the first day of school, even on half days and $\frac{3}{4}$ days, except for Kindergarten on September 1, 2015. The Lane School bus will depart KIDS' CLUB each morning at 7:45 a.m. and the Davis School bus will depart KIDS' CLUB each day at 8:40 a.m.

MORE STAFF CHANGES.....

MR. AARON, MR. JAKE, MR. ALLISTER, AND MR. BRANDON ARE OFF TO COLLEGE! - We wish the best for those staff members who are heading off to their first semester at college.



WELCOME MS. AUTUMN LEDGISTER CUMMINS, MR. IRA MOLL, MS. JULIE CHOU, AND MS. CARLY WEAVER! -Over the next months, our families will

be getting to know three new staff members. Ms. Autumn and Ms. Carly will graduate from BHS in May 2016. Carly comes to us with several years of experience with the Bedford Recreation Summer Adventures program. Mr. Ira brings experience working with children of all ages from several programs and will be attending Middlesex Community College this fall. Ms. Julie is a resident of Chelmsford and will also be attending Middlesex Community College this fall. Welcome to KIDS' CLUB, All!